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Serial No. : 09/332,846 Examiner: R. Alvarez
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For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PAYING BILLS AND OTHER
OBLIGATIONS INCLUDING SELECTIVE PAYOR AND PAYEE CONTROLS

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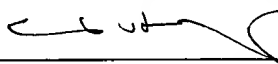
1. X Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action together with Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection for this application.
2. Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
Enclosed is a verified statement to establish Small Entity status
- X Other than a Small Entity

3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Extra	Present Rate	Fee	Present Rate	Fee
TOTAL	64	MINUS	64	0	x \$9	\$0	x \$18	\$0
INDEP.	4	MINUS	4	0	x \$39	\$0	x \$78	\$0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+ \$130	\$0	+ \$260	\$0
TOTALS					TOTAL FEE	\$0	TOTAL FEE	\$0

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4. X Attached is a check for the Terminal Disclaimer fee of \$ 110.00 Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$ _____.

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

(a) _____ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
_____ one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
_____ two months	\$ 380.00	\$190.00
_____ three months	\$ 870.00	\$435.00
_____ four months	\$1,360.00	\$680.00
_____ five months	\$1,850.00	\$925.00
_____ Extension fee due with this request \$ _____.		

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
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_____ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid thereof of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. Extension fee due with this request \$ _____.

OR

(b) x Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

X If any additional fee for claims or extension of time is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,



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